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AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

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MIBLO'S GARDEN, Broadway-Millimers-La For-BURTON'S THEATRE, Chambers street-OLIVER TWIST MATIONAL THEATRE, Chatham street-Nick of The Woods-Slave's Revenge-Markle Maiden.

METROPOLITAN HALL--AFTERNOON CONCERT BY AMERICAN MUSEUM-AMUSING PERFORMANCES AV-BOWERY AMPHITHEATRE, Bowery-Equestaian

CERISTY'S MUNSTRELS, Mechanics' Hall, 472 Broad-PELLOWS' MINSTRELS, Fellows' Musical Hall, No. 444

STOPPANI HALL-THE PANORAMA OF THE WORLD'S ASTOR PLACE-PROF. ANDERSON'S SCIRES MYSTE-

New York, Wednesday, Decem'r 31, 1851.

This Morning's Summary.

Kessuth proceeded from Baltimore to Washing ton yesterday morning, and was received by Sena tors Shields and Seward, and a large crowd of people. After reaching his hotel, he had a private interview with Mr. Webster, who, it it is said, promised to give him an introduction to the Presider to-day. The Magyar was then waited upon by the ocratic Jackson Association, who, in their address, approved of the nen-intervention doctrines of their city's guest, and invited him to partake of their hospitality on the 8th of January-the anni versary of the battle of New Orleans. Kossuth's response to this association will be read with great interest by all politicians, both native and foreign. In a very few words, he reviews affairs, generally, in the Old and New World, draws his inferences, makes his comparisons, expresses his views, and reminds them that he has nothing to do with party questions in this country. Upon the whole, it can not be said that he has met with a unanimous and cordial welcome at the capital of the nation. The eedings of the abolitionists and socialists in this ity have materially injured him in the estimation of many of our Southern legislaters, and they will stand aloof until they have an opportunity of understanding his principles more thoroughly, Considerable excitement was produced in the

House of Representatives yesterday, by the movement for a committee to wait on Kossuth, and introduce him to that body. How the affair ended we cannot tell, for the telegraphic wires gave out in the midst of the debate. The dissension and cavilling ameng members of the lower branch of Congress, may be considered as indicative of the feeling of the people in the districts to which they belong, relative to the cause of the great Hungarian. But few of the Southern representatives are prepossessed in his favor-many do not approve of his non-intervention policy and others dislike the manner in which he has been courted and feasted by the New York abolitionists and now that Kossuth has denied all sympathy for these pretended philanthropists, we shall not be surprised to find that several of the Northern members are opposed to him also. However, all this wasting of time and the peoples' money, in speechmaking, should be dispensed with at once. That he will be received by the House, there can be little doubt, and it is therefore useless to throw away any more time or breath upon the subject.

We understand that the drawing of the American Art Union lottery, which was deferred till this evening, has again been postponed till the names of fifteen thousand persons shall be enrolled on the books of the institution. The committee of management state that the expenses of the concern are very heavy and the funds very light, and partly attribute the latter fact to the Kossuth excitement, which recently absorbed a large portion of the attention of our citizens, and abstracted, perhaps, some of the money from their pockets.

In the Board of Aldermen, last evening, the nemination of George W. Matsell, Chief of Police, made by Mayor Kingsland to them for confirmation, came up again for consideration. The mather has been slumbering for some time past, and, as the functions of the present board expire with the present year, a bold push was made to remove Mr. Matsell from office. The resolution for confirmation was on the ayes and noes-lost, by a vote of eight to ten. It is doubtful whether the Mayor will make any other nomination to this Board of Aldermen-five days, it seems, are allowed by law for that purpose; and, if the Mayor avails himself of that time, it will then carry the confirmation of a Chief of Police into the Board of Aldermen elect, which, if done, will be quite proper, as we have no doubt but that the new men Council are equally capable of judging for the welfare of the city as the present Board, who have just been kicked out of office by the popular voice of an outraged people.

A resolution was concurred in from the Board of Assistants, dispensing with the advertising for con-tracts to pave Broadway with the Russ pavement, as Russ and Reed had a patent right for their mode of paving, and therefore no others could infringe on their rights. The Mayor will now, beyoud a doubt, sign the contract. It is the only durable pavement this city has ever been blessed with. It must be done.

The Board of Assistant Aldermen, last evening, weed a resolution adhering to their former acing of Washington Market, notwithstanding the vote of the Mayor.

STRANGE ATTACK ON MADAME JULIE DE MAR-GUERITTES. - The Day Book of last evening, in some rather unpolite comments on Mrs. Forrest and her society, contains a most violent attack upon the character of Madame Julie de Marguerittes, the anthoress, who recently furnished so many well written and piquant articles on "Art and Artists," which appeared in the columns of the very same Journal that assails her.

When we were in London last summer, we made quiry about this lady, and were informed that she to the eldest daughter of Doctor Granville, a distinguished physician in Piccadilly; that she was highly educated on the Continent, and married shere to a gentleman of respectability and character, who is living here with her and their two young children. The gossip here, on which the atroung children. The gossip here, on which the avench is founded, springs from some affair which took place last summer, at Lebanon Springs, in which Mr. G. G. Foster and Mr. Charles E. Lester are very curiously involved. The best defence and explanation, all round, would be a full statement of the whole affair, with the incidents and corresponoe, from alpha to omega. The editor of the Day sok seems to be unnecessarily savage on the

Critical Condition of France and Europ

What will Louis Napoleon next do?

What will be Louis Napoleon's next coup d'état?

This is an inquiry of the mest vital import and terrible magnitude, at the present moment, affecting as it does the very existence of constitutional liberty throughout the European continent. The game is up; the reckless hunter has entered upon the chase which must either close abortively and disgracefully to him, or result in the complete success of his designs—the establishment of a military government on the ruins of republicanism is France. Louis Napoleon has proved himself a once wily, ambitious and unscrupulous. Deeply and warily has he laid his plans. Boldly and fearlessly has he carried them into operation; and the result can hardly fail to be the consummation of his ambitious projects—the re-erection of the im-perial throne of his uncle over the demolition of the French republic. His most wily and success ful stroke of policy, in advance, was the re-investi ture of the people with the right of universal suf frage; thus ministering to their self-love and advancing his own popularity, at the same time that he was disarming his enemies of their most efficient

The immediate consequence of his coup d'état, i requires no prophetic ken to foresee. The French cople, harassed by the evils attendant on the ca priciousness of the vox populi, and the instability of their political affairs, will support the measures of Louis Napoleon, and clothe him with the full dictatorial powers which he demands. He will undoubtedly get the vote. But this will only be the beginning of the end. Order being thus once more re-established in France, it will be incumbent on Louis Napoleon to provide for the employment of his vast army, to prevent them turning at-He must minister to the national military ardo and love of glory; and we should have but a very imperfect conception of his character did we im agine that he will be very scrupulous as to the

Now that the Russian autocrat and his Austrian

satellite have reduced to the peace of desolation all the countries which are under their sway-now that Hungary is trodden down to the very dust, and every vestige of liberty has been erased from Italynow that Eastern Europe offers no field for the ex tension of despetism—the triumvirate of that principle-Nicholas, Francis Joseph, and Louis Napoleon-will doubtless direct their combined ener gies against Great Britain, which has been called by Mr. Walker, in one of his late speeches, the "breakwater of liberty" on the European conti-nent. Louis Napoleon, who has such a pencham to imitate his uncle in his career, assimilates to him also in his implacable hatred towards the English aristocracy, and particularly the free press of England, and would willingly carry into execution the old project formed by him, of an invasion of that country. His expeditions to Strasburg and Bou-logne prove that he is capable of the wildest abtempts; but we must not regard such an one as so chimerical or impracticable as it may at first sight appear. Louis Napoleon, urged on and supported by his two despotic colleagues, (who have their own motives to subserve,) would readily find or create a casus belli, and could, with the powerful steammarine of France, effect, from the old came of Bou logne, a landing of a hundred thousand troops or the English coast, and by setting up the now-un-meaning claptraps of universal suffrage, and the extinction of aristocracy, he would attract the masses of England, who would desert the standard of the British aristocracy, and not stand idly by as spectators; for notwithstanding that England is the only constitutional country in Europe-the only one where the freedom of the press is respected-yet it is undeniable that the millions are discontented and ripe for revolution, and would eagerly join in any movement for the overthrow of the aristocratic system under which the people have so long suffered, fattening on the fruits of their labors, and denying them the exercise of the prerogatives of freemen. The Catholics of England and Iroland might also be calculated on to lend their aid to the man who extinguished the fires of liberty in Rome and reinstated the Holy Father on the Pontifical

With such powers at his disposal, direct and collateral, the result presaged may be looked upon as more than a probability, and may not be very far in the dim future. We are in the commence ment of a terrible future.

THE FORREST DIVORCE CASE .- This very extraordinary trial draws its slow length along, and will probably end somewhere in Anno Domino 1852. Curious documents, curious affidavits, and curious developements of social, poetical, editorial, dramatic, and hospitable life, are coming to view. A very amusing letter, offered in evidence, written by Mrs. Forrest to Mr. James Lawson, gives us the interesting philosophical views which she entertained of the wonderful doctrines of Fourierism, and the sad immorality of the editor of the New York Herald, who doubted and disbelieved in those doctrines. Probably the best commentary on Mrs. Forrest's practical belief in Fourierism, and her horror at the immorality of the HERALD may be found in the scenes of jelly association held in Sixteenth street, so graphically depicted by some of the other witnesses.

This is a queer world-but no matter. The law reporter of the NEW YORK HERRLD is publishing, in pamphlet form, a copious report, and a daguerreotype-like representation of the scenes in court. It will make a very interesting volume, and be eagerly sought by all classes, from the codfish aristocracy down to the frequenters of the smallest theatre in town.

WHO IS BRITISH MINISER TO THE UNITED STATES !-Some time ago, Sir Henry Bulwer was the British Minister in this country, as we had reason to know, from the vast number of speeches he was continually pouring out, and the enormous quantities of blarney he manufactured for the newspaper press. Since his return to England, it seems to be doubtful who is the British Minister here. There is a Mr. Crampton at Washington, who, the newspapers said, was left in occupation when Sir Henry left ; but we rather think that the power of the British embassy is divided among the British Consuls all over the Union. It seems that the British Consul Mathews, of South Carolina, is at present the most efficient diplomatic representative of Her Majesty; and he is making himself as busy, not in delivering speeches, but in writing letters, as ever Sir Henry Bulwer was.

We again ask, who is the authorized British Minister in this country-a country so fortunate as to have one !

TRAINING FOR THE GREAT RACE.-The magn! ficent General Houston, of Texas-one of the prominent candidates for the Presidency next fall-left town yesterday morning, on a temperance and cold water journey to Buffalo, and round about the country, for the holidays. During his brief visit here, he has been received at Tammany Hall with distinguished attention, and his principal competitor-little Douglas, of Illinois-has been completely orgotten. Even the whigs of this city were delighted to bid welcome to the hero of San Jacinto, nd to listen with extacles to the capital stories and anecdotes that he can tell, with one of which he demolished poor Foote, of Mississippi, before he returned to be inaugurated in the Southwest.

General Houston will be in Washington again by the beginning or middle of next week. In the meantime, the other candidates for the Presidency, in the Senate, must beware and tremble.

LATER FROM THE RIO GRANDE.—The brig Gobanesy, Capt. Sinciair, arrived yesterday morning from Rio Grande, with dates to Nov. 2, by which we learn that the steamer Den Pedro was to leave that port on the 4th Nov., with \$500,000 on board, for the use of the Montevidean government. Gen. Urquiza was about to embark at Busnos Ayres, with the Brazilian fleet, to attack Gen.

MR. CLAY UPON HIS LATT numerous reports of this great po intends to make his last egainst the " intervention " even if he should die on hi We trust, however, that his hand a closing flicker that will ill the nation in the great road of the fu seems to be covered with mists and fogs of imponetrable darkness—the great foreign path of the sation.

CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATIONS .- While resolu tions may be offered in Congress for promoting in-vestigations into the recent doings in the Mexico and Florida claims, we hope it will not be forgotten to introduce also a resolution to make inquiry into the recent doings of the Custom House in this city. We hear of some singular operations in the revenue department, which ought to be probed to the bottom by a vigorous committee of Congress, and that, too, as soon as possible.

EARTHQUAKE AT TRINIDAD .-- We learn by the arrival yesterday, of the schooner W. Burk, Capt. Rainer, that the town of Port Spain, Trinidad, was visited by a severe the town of Fort Spain, Trinidad, was visited by a severe shock of an earthquake, at half-past 2 e'clock on the morning of the 25th of November. The shock lasted about ten seconds, and it was expected that had it con-tinued but half a minute, most of the buildings in the town would have been prostrated. The shock was also sensibly felt by the shipping in the harbor.

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This afterneon at 2 o'clock, at Tripler Hall, Catherine Hayes gives her last concert in New Yerk, being to the children of the common schools of the city. Her course will then be to the sunny South, where, with tolerable good management, a bright career of success awaits her. But would it not, if other engagements permitted, be a good idea to remain for a week or a fortnight longer in "the great metropolis," and fill up the gap created by the withdrawal of Jenny Lind's concerts; not that Catherine Hayes is not as worthy of being listened to as Jenny Lind, but that if she remained she would have the field entirely to herself, there being neither overa nor any kind entirely to herself, there being neither opera nor any kind of concerts now in this city. What shall we do if we are so suddenly deserted by divine music ?

Lela Montes,

Last evening Lols Montes performed at the Broadway Theatre in the same ballet that she appeared in on Mon day evening, the night of her debut. Her performance was rather better than on the previous evening, and she was well received and warmly applauded. There appeared to be a general disposition to treat her kindly. There was a large number of ladies in attendance, presenting quite a contrast to Monday evening.

We would here take the opportunity of correcting an error into which the printer fell in yesterday's critique We remarked that 'the general absence of the sex seems strange enough, as they have attended in great numbers the performances of other dancers not superior in moral worth," &c. The compositor made it, "but superior in

moral worth;" just the reverse of what we intended.

We learn, upon good authority, that Mr. Edward Willis is no longer connected with the fortunes of Lola

Marine Affairs.

Quick Work.—The bark Condace, Arquit, master, arrived on Mcnday from Shanghae, after an absence of only nine months and five days from this port, having discharged cargo at Hong Kong, Canton, Hong Kong a second time, and the last of it at Shanghal. She is now second time, and the last of it at Snangnat. Eac is now loaded with a tea cargo, and has delivered three full cargoes from the far north port of Shanghai, in the aggregate time of nineteen months and seventeen days, making her three voyages complete from the time of leaving this port, arriving here 2d of May, 1850, and 12th February, and 29th December, 1851. The same can be done by any of the famous clipper fleet, no doubt, but until it is, Captain Arquit deserves praise for accomplishing more than any other vessel yet has done.

Board of Supervisors.

Board of Supervisors met at 4 P. M.—
Alderman Sturtevant in the chair, (in the absence of
the President.) and a quorum of members present. The
minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

Of sundry persons to be relieved from taxes. Of James
Hepson, late police magistrate, for pay for extra services
performed by him. Of J. C. Pinckney, for payment for
services reudered to Committee on Annual Taxes.

BILLS AUDITED, AND ORDERED TO SE FAID.

Of Magrethe Timm, amounting to \$78, for cleaning and
taking charge of the court room of the Sixth Judicial
District. Of Lawrence Reid, chemist, amounting to \$54,
for analysing the stomach of the late Victorine Grunz'g
who died from the effects of poison administered by her
husband. Otto Grunzig.
On motion, the Board adjourned to 4 P. M., Tuesday.

Dag. 30.—The board met at 4 P. M., Hon. Recorder

DEC. 30.—The board met at 4 P. M., Hon. Recorder a the chair. The minutes of the preceding meeting rere read and approved.

Of sundry persons, for remission and correction of taxes.

Of Henry Vandervoort, amounting to \$120, for furnishing Secretary of State transcripts of oriminal convictions, and statements, &c., had in the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General and Special Sessions for the year 1851.

Of Committee on Annual Taxes, in favor of allowing J. C. Pinckrey \$200, as compensation for services rendered said committee for the past two years.

Of same committee, in favor of remitting and correcting taxes of sundry persons.

On motion, the beard then adjourned until Wednesday, at 4 o'clock, P. M.

United States Commissioner's Court.

Before Joseph Bridgham, Esq.

Drc. 30—Charge of Confining the Community Officer of a Ship.—James Turner, one of the crew of the packet ship Constitution, was complained of for having, upon the high seas, confined George Doughery, the second mate, and, at the time, commanding officer of that vessel, by taking hold of and striking him a number of blows. The arguments and examination of witnesses occupied three days, Mr. Ridgeway conducting the prosecution and Mr. Betts appearing for the prisoner. Commissioner Bridgham, in delivering his decision, said that he considered the facts sufficiently proven to establish a case of confinement, as defined by the charges of Justice Washington (cited by the prosecution) in U. S. w. Sharp et al. and U. S. w. Bladen. Ist Peters, C. O. Reports, pp. 122 and 214, but decided to discharge Turner upon a construction of law urged by Mr. Betts, that the second mate of a vessel is not the commanding officer thereof while the master himself is on board, although the second mate may (as in this case) be left in charge by the captain, he being below, together with the first mate. The act of Congress (section 2, Aot of 3d March, 1835), is in these words: "If any one or more of the crew of any American ship or vessel on the high seas, or any other waters within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of the United States," "shall unlawfully confine the master or other commanding officer thereof, be punished by fine, not exceeding five years, or by both, according to the nature and aggravation of the offence." The point in question is one of some considerable importance, and we believe has never been fully passed upon.

Superior Court-Special Term.

Before Hon. Judge Mason.

Drc. 27 — Drc. 1000 - Robert P. Wiggens against Robe
H. Arkenburgh — New trial granted, unless the plainti
will credit the defendant in account with the guarante
commission disallowed by the referee, amounting to
\$44.86.

\$45.86. Patrick Shantey or Patrick Brody.—Partnership de-clared to have existed between the parties, and reference ordered to take the accounts. Eliza Thompson vs. Deniel Carpenter.—Demurrer over-ruled, and judgment for the defendant, with liberty to the plaintiff to withdraw the demurrer and reply, in ten days, on payment of costs.

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Theodore A. Regucials against Robert L. Teylor and als.—Demuirer of defendant Freeman, to the complaint, allowed, and judgment in his favor thereon.

Lovin Brooks against Christopher H. Volkert.—Motion to strike out certain parts of the answer granted, with \$10 costs, with liberty to defendant to amend his answer in ten days, on payment of \$10 costs.

Peter Mulvey, Assignee, against Joseph McGes—Motion to vacate order of arrest granted, with \$10 costs.

Mary E. Somes, Administratuz, qc., vx. William J. Buck, et al.—Motion that defendant satisfy the note of \$2,750, mentioned in the pleadings, and that defendant deliver over, or deposit in court, the promissory notes, &c., mentioned in the pleadings to be under their control, denied. Motion that the answer be rundered more definite in the particulars specified, granted; the further answer to be served in ten days after notice of this order. No costs to either party on this motion.

Frederick Oakes, Jr., vs. Curtis Judson and George Slater.—Motion to strike out certain parts of Judson's answer granted, with \$10 costs. The like order on motion te strike out part of flater's answer.

Robert Jones vs. James Jones and Richard E. Lavolin.—Motion to set aside the decision of E. Codwise, in the matter mentioned in the papers, denied, for want of jurisdiction in the court—the proceedings before him being an arbitration, and not a reference, under the statute, and the submission not having been made a rule of this court.

Movements of Distinguished People.

A correspondent, writing from Stockholm, Sweden, under date of Nov. 24, says:—The distinguished novelet, Miss Fredericka Bremer, arrived on the 224 at Stockholm, from the United States, where she spent about five years. Her visit to this city was occasioned by the death of her eldest inter. Miss Maris Bremer, who jeft to her an immense fortune, in which is comprised the domain of Aersta, one of the richest estates in Sweden. Her Britannic Majesty's Consui, Z. Molyneux, and family, arrived in the city yesterday from Savannah, Ga, and have taken rooms at the Clarendon.

Catherine Hayes and party are still at the Clarendon, but will leave the city the last of the weak for Philadelphia, where she is to give a concert op Saturday evening.

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indeed must have been the disappointment experienced by many of our citizens on Sunday, consequent on this change. Being a leisure day, numbers of those who are absorbed in business during the week, plurposed indulging themselves in a sleigh ride, and sleighs were hired or purchased, gaudy buffalo robes, tinkling bells, and fine costumes were prepared for the occasion. But, alse when Sunday merning came, what a dismal change presented itself! The crisp white snow all melted, and in its place, black mud, and instead of the fine, bracing, frosty air of the preceding days, a wet, uncomfortable, almost sullry atmosphere. Thus a damper was thrown on the anticipated enjoyment of the sleighers. The winter, however, is still in its infaney, and may yet afford much pleasure to the lorers of this truly national sport. Yesterday a dense fog enveloped the city and rivers; no vessels came up from below, without the aid of steam, and very few could find their way, even with that assistance. The ferry boats to and from Brooklyn were obliged to proceed with great caution, in order to prevent collisions. The Staten Island ferry boats missed several trips during the day; among them the 12 30 F.M. trip from Staten Island, which was the cause of several arrivals not appearing in our evening edition of yesterday. The ice has almost entirely disappeared from the rivers and bay.

The Fire Powers Mission.—The Ladies' Home Missionary Society contemplate holding a meeting in Metropolitan Hall, on Saturday evening next, the profits accruing from which have the scentism is ameliorating the moral and physical condition of the denizens of the Five Points. It is a pity that a society aiming at such practical benefits should be suffered to wans for want of proper support, while the treasuries of other societies, of very equivocal utility and influence, for foreign lands, are well sustained from the purses of plous "old ladies," of both sexes; and it is to be hoyed that the good sense of the community will yet lead to the perception and rectif

flowing house.

A Young Girl Missing.—On the afternoon of Sunday, the 21st inst., a girl, fifteen years of age, named Anna Blake, a domestic in the family of Mr. E. N. Kent, No. 209 West Nineteenth street, left the premises to attend church, and was expected to return on the same evening; she did not return, and since that time no information can be ascertained of her whereabouts. She was dressed in a dark delaine dress, red woollen shawl and straw bonnet, trimmed with blue plaid ribbons. Any information respecting her. left at the house of Mr. Kent, or with the Chief of Police, will be deemed an act of kindness by her afflicted mother.

Figure — About half oast eleven o'clock, on Monday

of kindness by her afflicted mother.

First — About half-past eleven o'clock, on Monday evening, the store of Mr Gruschenski, No. 403 Eighth avenue, caught fire by the bursting of a gas pipe in the cellar, and the gas coming in contact with a lighted lamp. Some goods tying near the pipe were considerably injured, but otherwise the damage was trifling. At the same hour a fire was discovered in the Phoenix Bank, Wall street. It was extinguished by the Insurance watchmen before much damage occurred. At 5 o'clock, on Tuesday morning, a fire broke out in the house No. 312 Grand street. It was extinguished by officers A. & P. Bogert, of the Tenth ward police, with but trifling damage.

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A flucture by Jumping From A Wishow.—On Monday, Alderman Oakley held an inquest at No. 475 Pearl street, on the body of William Meeks, aged 25 years, a mative of England, who came to his death by jumping out of a third story window, at the above-named premises. The deceased, it seems, had been confined in bed by sickness since the 16th instant; and a few minutes before the fatal leap was taken, his brother had visited him, and retired, leaving a female fixing the stove. As soon as she left, the deceased, evidently under a deranged state of mind, fastened the door of the room, and immediately apprang out of the window, falling into the rear yard, a distance of over 30 feet, causing instant death. A verdict was rendered according to the above facts.

Supply Party — On Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock.

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Supper Brays — On Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock, Joseph Dawson, an Englishman by birth, about 45 years of age, reeding at No. 201 West Twentieth street, was found dead in his bed. It appeared that his wife went to his bedroom for the purpose of asking him to rise, when to her astonishment she found him dead. He had been complaining for a few days past, but nothing serious was anticipated. Ald. Conklin was notified of the occurrence, and held an inquest was held last Monday, at No. 66 Seventh avenue, on the infant daughter of Mrs. Winney, aged two years and four months, who came to her death by accidentally setting fire to her clothing on Friday last, during the temporary absence of her mother from the room. Verdict accordingly.

A Foundam,—A fine healthy male infant, about six weeks old, was left on the stoop of the house No. 130 Twelfth street, occupied by Mr. Henry Van Wyck. It was conveyed to the Ninth ward station house by officer Turner, who placed it in charge of his wife until year.

was conveyed to the Ninth ward station house by officer Turner, who placed it in charge of his wife until yesterday morning, when it was sent to the alms house. Bussings or a Carons Warts-ryre.—At ten o'clock. Monday evening, the Croton water pipe burst, in the store No. 196 Pearl street: Officer Simonds, of the Second ward police, discovered the occurrence in time to prevent any serious damage.

News for European Readers. THE WEEKLY HERALD,

Containing a complete resume, in French and English, of all the important news of the week, will be published at half past nine o'clock this morning, in time to go out by the Cunard steamer Europa. Price sixpence in wrappers, and ready for mailing. To be procured at the

J. G. Bennett, Esq.,
Dear Siz.—In the parsgraph in this day's Herald, relative to the Hermann, you say you are authorised by the officers of the Hermann in stating that the Europa drew more water than the Hermann. My impression is that you inferred from my remark that the Europa was a heavier ship, that she drew more water; of this fact I am not advised. A ship may be heavier and yet draw less water; but it is fair to suppose that a ship of the Europa's draft would go in the channel, and there is abundance of water in the channel at any time of tide for a ship of eighteen feet draft. And an efficient pilot should know how to conduct a ship in safety through the channel when the lights in the neighborhood are visible and dissinct.

Very respectfully,
Dec. 30, 1851.

The Feyrest Divorce Case.—A copious.

The Ferrest Divorce Case.—A copious revised and corrected report of this interesting trial will be published by the Law Reporter of the New York Heraid, is panghlet form, immediately after the termination of the proceedings. It will be the only authentic report published in that form, and will contain copies of all the letters and documents offered on the trial. Orders from booksellers to be addressed to Law Reporter, New York Heraid. Copyright secured. Price 25 cents.

Catherine Hayes in Roman Costume. --The mest splendid dagnerrootypes of the great cantafrice,
and other distinguished persons, the public are invited to
see is our galleries. N. B. -- Open on New Year's day, for
taking dagaerrootype souvenier. MEADE BRO'S, American Galleries, 233 Broadway, next to American Hotel,

Correct Portrait, -- No one should fall to purchase a copy of this week's "New York Traveller," giving a correct likeness of L.P. Roback, uncle of Dr. C. W. Re-back, the great astrologist, at 6 White street.

Home Journal for 1852 .- The first num. her of a new and most attractive volume of this extensively circulated and universally popular family newspaper will be issued on Saturday next. The terms are only \$2 a year-Subscribe without delay. Office of publication, 107 Fulton street.

Diners down town will find young RENHY GOSLING'S Restaurant, St Liberty street, neat, clean and clogant, waiters politic and attentive, and cooking of the best. The indexpressive energy administrative of Young Golling has secured for him, separation uncounsited by any other restaurateur in New York. For a first-rate breakfast, dinner or tea, call at St Liberty street, first house out of Broadway.

Texas Land and General Agency, Estab-lished in 18th. The subscriber can be found at the house of Richard B. Kimball. Eq., No. 35 Seventh street, on the 24, 35 and 5th of January, Persone having business with me will please be punctual. J. DE CORDOVD, of Houston, Texas.

Diamonds, Jewelry, and Silver Ware.—
The subscriber offers for sale, at the manufacturer's lowest wholesale cash prices, a large assortment of fine Gold Jewelry, Silver ware, Diamond Rings, Fins and Rarrings, &c. Manufactury and Sales rooms, second story of building 378 Broadway.

DAVID RAIT, Manufacturing Joweller.

Notice. -- R. Fisher, Jr., Watchmaker and Jeweller, late of 331 Broadway, would inform his old friends and enstoners that he has removed his place of business to 9 Fulton street, where he would call their attention to his stock of fine Watches, Jowelry, and Silverware, which will cell them as low, if not lower than they can buy in the city.

R. FISHER, JR., 94 Fulton street. Original L. Jacobs.—Those who wish to purchase an Accordian, Music Boz. and Musical Instru-ments of all serts, should go to JACOBS. 102 Chather street. He has the Gold Watches, Breast Pins. Finger Rings, and a great variety of Fancy Articles, including Ladios' Work Boxes. Give him acall.

Gerardus Boyce, Manufacturer of Silver Ware, 110 Greene street, between Spring and Prince streets. Naw York.—Ten Kettlee, Yasee, Pitchers, Watters, Dinke, Drus, Ten sets, Castorer, Cupe, Perks and Specen, and all articles in the above line, on the mortfressensable terms. N. B.—Old Pinte manufactured into the newest patterns.

Biggar, at 69 Canal street, nearly oppo Moreur street, is selling his splendid stock of les, Frayer Books, Juvenile and other eigent 6 mes. Portbiles. Ins. Watch and Jewel Stands, or te-monnais. Work Boxes, Writing Bosks, &c.,

French China, for the Holidays, pened, direct from Paris, a large assortment of him Vases, large Cups and Saucers, Coloren Bert and Saucers, Coloren Bert See, 80., 80., suitable for holiday presents, we sold chapper than they can be bought elsewhere.

J. K. KERR, 60 Chambers street, below Bro

Elegant Holiday Present.—A beautiful Card Plate and Cards, elegantly engraved, at EVERDELL'S 302 Breadway, comer of Duane street, and at Branch office 13 Wall street. Orders delivered in any part of the six early New Year's day.

uitable, elegant, and substantial article that can A good assortment of all kinds of furs, elegantly it reduced rates, at YOUNG'S fur stores, 95 Bows John street. Cloaks handsomely trimmed with fu

Another Year of Triumph.

Genin's New Year Greeting to his frie

citizens. GENIN, No. 214 Broadway, opposite St. Pauls. The Hat Finishers' Union continue to sell the best Hats made, and as the lowest rates. Standard prices, \$3 and \$4. N.B.—The Hat Finishers' Union is the only association of journeymen hatters in this city, notwithstanding the base assertion to the content of serial establishment, which has lone practiced its viie deceptions on the community, by publicly announcing itself a co-opperative Union, while said establishment is owned by two individuals, neither jef whom are practical hatters, but who seek to make capital of public sympathy for working men. "Housety is the best policy." HAT FINISHERS' UNION, No. 11 Park Row, opposite Astor House.

Gentlemen's Hats, for New Year's Calls. If you wish to excite the bewitching smiles and winnin graces of the far one on New Year's day, call on MANTA the beater, 160 Canal street, and let him fit you wish one on beater. 160 Canal street, and Hels and Cape of all dee oriptions, and is fine an original matter and the early bions, and is fine an overall matter and the early bions. The same that the same training the same training the same training the same training to the same training train

large assortment of mens' boys', and shildrens' beaver, t, and silk Hate, cloth and velvet Cape, ladice' and misses aver and felt Bonnets. One price. J. W. KELLOGG, 123 Canal street.

Year's Hats.-Gentlemen wishing

Hats for the Holidays.--Why not a holiday Hat as well as other things! Gentlemen will than us for informing them that we are prepared to furnish to an extent, our beautiful holiday styles. Also, the very popular Kessuth soft Hat, with or without feather.

WARNOCKS, Hatters, 275 Broadway, Irving House.

and no sbatement, and as fine and as fashionable as a sold in New York for four or five dollars. Price only They have also the best styles of the Kossuth Felt Mic Cloth and Flush Cape, Umbrellas, &c., as the lowest ra The New Hat Company, Nos. 146 and 148 Nassus street.

Ladies' Cloaks, at very greatly reduced rates.—HITCHOOCK & LEADBRATER, 347 Broadway, corner Lecenard street, have reduced the price of their Cloaks full thirty per cent, and are selling them for less than the cest of material. Gentlemes cannot present their lady friends a more desirable new year's. Look at them. Eq. ladies, you'll save money by buying them, instead of the material, and making them yourselves.

Gentlemen's Cravats, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, &c., may be found, in the greatest variety, at HITCH-COCK & LRADBEATER'S, 857 Broadway, corner of Leonard street, and much cheaper than at gentlemen's furnishing stores. They have, also, a large assortment of Far. Silk and Merino Undershirts and Drawers, and, indeed, every kind of Gentlemen's Furnishings, at the very lowest rates.

New Year's Presents.—Nothing can be more acceptable to a lady, as a new year's present, than a handsome Cloak or Shawi, a Silk Dress or Starf, Embroidered Handscerbiel, or something of that sort; and no where in this city can such articles be found in better variety, or chapper, than at HITCHOOCK & LEAD-BEATER'S,1347 Broadway, corner Leonard street.

New Year's Calls.—You that from the hurry of business, or otherwise, have neglected to replenish your wardrobe have only to call on T. SMITH, Jr., 102 Fulton street. He will furnish you with garments ready made in the tip of fashion, more durable and cheaper than ever sold before. Stand well in your boots boys,

The Merchant Tailor's Exchange Rooms will be open on New Year's Day, from 11 o'clock A. M. till 3 P.M. The proprietor will be most happy to exchange the compliments of the season with members of the trade, and his friends generally, at 383 Broadway. Those Brussels napped Oversacks and Freeks, at the Union Hall Clething Warshouse, corner of Fulton and Nassau streets, are the cheapest things ever heard of, and so entirely new and eminently becoming, Go and see them.

How those Kossuth, braided Overconts, at the Union Hall Clothing Warshouse, corner of Fulton and Nassau streets, do sell. They are faceimiles of the one presented by the establishment to Kossuth, and have just been put down to a very low figure, in consequence of the advanced season.

New Year's Day.—Gentlemen who intend making calls on this day, would do well to go to Agate's, 257 Broadway, corner of Park Place, and select from the largest and richest assortment of Gloves, Cravais. Ties, Suspenders, Shirts, &c., in the city, imported by him for the occasion.

Visters in Town for the Holidays are approved that the most exquisitely fitting shirts may be precured at Green's, No. I Aron House. Byfleaving orders there, sets of shirts are supplied at the briefest notice. Bondy made shirts, under clothing, dressing gowne, cravats, and other articles of gentlemen's weat, in all their varieties.

E. A. Brooks, No. 150 Fulton street, has on hand a stock of Boots, Shoes, and Gaiters, that cannot be equalied by any other in this sity in point of excellence or cheapness of price. The best stock that was ever put into work is used, and the best workmen that ever sat upon a shoemaker's bench are employed in the production of the goods now in store. If you wish a good pair of boots, you can get them very cheap at No. 150 Fulton street.

Beiling Off. -- Peterson & Humphrey, 370 Broadway, corner of White street, will sell the entire lot of Carpeting purchased at the late large auction saies, at the following prices: -Rich Brussels, 3s. to 10s. per yard; extra heavy Three-ply, 8s.; to, Super, 5s. to 6s.; Good, all wool, 3s. 6d. to 6s.; Oil Cloths, extra heavy, 6s. per yard, and all other goods equally low.

Bloomer Game.—Just received at Rogers' Fancy Store, 449 Broadway, a large assortment of new and pleasing Games for Christians presents. The Social Snake, Bloomer Game; Golden Fgg. Knowledge of Trades, Magic Ring, Robin Hood, Poor Old Soldier, and many others, together with a large assortment of Dissecting Maps, Pictures and Pusites. Tays, &c., in endless variety, at ROGERS', No. 449 Broadway.

Crying Bables! Crying Bables!!—Wax Dolls. Doll Bedies, Doll's Hats, fine wax dressed Bolls, Doll's Shoce, Arms and Heads! Work and Perfumery Bexes. &c. Sold at reasonable prices at 42 Maiden lane.

Crying Bables.—A New and Novel Toy just received and going off like hot cakes, at JOHN HART's, 419 Breadway. Call soon or you will miss them Toys, Fancy Baskets, rich, rare, and valvable at reduced prices. Fathers, mothers, and lovers, if you want something that will please, call as above. "You may as well be out of the World as to be ent of fashion." If you do not drink the pure and delicious Teas found at the Tea Warehouses of the Pakin Tea Company, 75 Fulton street, where the elife have been procuring their teas for years, you may as well withdraw from the circle.

its, Aguita, Tres Coronas, the undersigned. We are on afterwards buy Segars anywhe M. MURALES, 113 No.

To Mothers.—Remember that above two hundred children die avery week in New York. Two hundred children die avery week in New York. Two hundred mothers weekly bereit of their darlings by their own will be the new to the their own the control of the new to the control of the the notice, you hought it was hundred; you are told in the unmissakeable larguage of truth, because you are told that you can have water Nervous Antidote without money, if poor, therefor it cannot be humber of the poor to the control of the co To Mothers .- Remember that ab

A Card.-The Writer begs leave, public

Gourand's Liquid Instantaneous by is positively, without exception or reservation ver invented. Equally celebrated is Gourand's cap, for curing chape, chafes, roughness, tender the first country of the bedy; Lily Whits, and H. Aff Walker street, near Broadway; Callender,

Wigs and Toupees. — Batchelor's New ptyle of Wigs are pronounced the most perfect imitation of about yet invented. These wanting a very upperfor article should call at BarCullEUS" calebrated Wig Factory, No. 4 Wall street, where can be found the largest and best as ceriment in the city. Copy the address. Hair-Dye.—Hatchelor's celebrated Liquid fair Dye is the best yet discovered for celering the hair or rhiskers, the mement it is applied. The wonderful case and gratainty with which this favogies and old-ostabilished Hair

Red or Gray Hair can be instantly hanged to a permanent black or brown color, of the most seautiful and natural description, by the use of Bogle's Prenium Electric Hair Dye, which is now fast superceding at the articles of a similar natury. This, with Bogle's Hyperion Fluid, for the hair, and other preparations, may be had f.A. B. & D. Bands, 100 Fulton skreets Rushton, Clark & Co., 273, and J. Milhau, 183 Broadway, Wm. H. Cary & Co., 45 Pearl street, and by the druggists and pertumers hroughout the world.

Oxygenated Bitters .-- The efficacy of this Oxygenated Bitters.—Alta distance of Debi-medicine in cases of Dyspessia, Asthma, and General Debi-ity has been attested by many citizens who are well known to the public, and whose statements can be seen on applica-tion to the agents. The most incredulous can find ampli-tion to the agents. The most incredulous can find ampli-ment that this medicine is worthy their attention and a fair

MONEY MARKET. Tuesday, Dec. 30—6 P. M.
The stock market was all at leose ends to-day.

Rolders generally were anxious to realize, and the quan-

tity offered depreciated prices materially. This move-ment has been made several times this season, but it has failed each time. We have frequently remarke that it was easy enough to buy stocks, and easy enough to sustain prices, so long as most of the speculators were purchasers; but the moment there were more sellers in the market than buyers, there would be a break down. Our predictions would have been realized long before this, but for the tenacity with which operators for a rise their supplies. The time is coming when they must sell when they must put their stocks on the market, and which are held in such large blocks; those fancies in which speculation has been pretty active, and which are hypothe-oated in every bank; in Wall street, with a limited margin cated in every bank in Wall street, with a limited margin in receive. There were indications at the first board to-day, of a panic among holders of certain/fancies. Eric Railroad declined 1½ per cent; Eric bonds, 1868, ½; Reading Railroad, ¾; Hudson River Railroad, ¾; Harlem, ¾; New Haven Railroad, ¾; Norwich and Worcester, ¼. New Jerrey [Zinc advanced ¾ per cent; Canton Co, ¼; Morris canal, ¾; Stouington, ¾. There were large transactions in Eric and Reading. At the second board, there was a more depressed feeling, and holders made. there was a more depressed feeling, and holders made further for the concessions. Eric Raliroad fell off ½ per-cent; Harlem, ½; New Jersey Zrnc, ½; Reading railroad, ¾. The bulls left the street to day in very poor spirits, with the prospect of a bine day to close up the year.

The receipts at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of this port, to-day, amounted to \$61,295 18; payments. \$28,661 44—balance, \$6,313 800 64 There has been a moderate demand for foreign ex-

change, to-day, for remittance by the steamship Europa, on Wednesday. The supply of sterling bills has im-proved within the past day or two, and drawers are not so firm in their rates. We quote bills on London, 10 a 10½ per cent premium; on Paris, 5f 15 a 5f, 10½; Amsterdam, 41½ a 41½; Bremen, 78¾ a 78½; Hamburg, 26% a 28%. The steamer leaving on Wednesday will take out less than helf a million of dollars in specie. Engagements had been made for a much larger amount;

The New Haven (Conn.) Bank has declared a semi-annual dividend of four and a half per cent; the New Haven County Bank, five per cent; the Mechanics' Bank of New Haven, two dollars fifty cents per share; the Boston and Lowell R. R. four 'per cent, payable January 1; the Manchester and Lawrence R. R. three per cent on the common stock, and four per cent on the preferred, both payable January 5.

The Chemical Bank has declared a semi-annual divi-

end of six per cent, payable January 2; the Bank of Commerce, four per cent, payable January 2; the Bank of Commerce, four per cent, payable January 5.

The interest due January 1, upon the mortgage bonds of the Cayuga and Susquebanna and Lackawanna and Western Railroad companies, will be paid on presentation of the coupons at the office of the companies.

The navigation of the Obio river was open at Pittsburg, yesterday. The river was rising rapidly, and steamboats were preparing to leave.

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The annexed statement exhibits the amount of duties evenues, and public expenditures, for the first quarter of the fiscal year, from July 1st to September 30, 1851, agreeably to warrants issued, exclusive of trust funds and treasury notes funded:—

FINANCES OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT - REVENUE AND DISSURSEMENTS.

Civil list, miscellaneous and foreign inter-\$3,000 537 77 1,681,653 90

100 00 From which deduct repayments on account of interest on public debt....

expenditures \$4,623,625 52, which is above what we can expect as an average for the year. The quarter ending September 30, in each year, is usually a very heavy one in the way of imports, and the receipts from customs consequently large, while it is about an average quarterly expenditure. The payment of interest on the public debt is included in the quarters ending June 30 and December 21, each year. According to this statement, the aggregate revenue for the year ending June 30, 1851, is likely to be as large as the year previous, and the expenditures about the same proportion of the income. It will be seen that the public lands afford very little revenue, and we cannot look for much from that source, until the warrants issued to soldiers that source, until the warrants issued to soldiers are located. On the whole, the public finances are in a very satisfactory condition, and this fact alone is suffi-

clent to put down any argument advanced in favor of any change in the commercial policy of the government. So long as we have a large public debt, so long must we look closely to our revenue and previde ways and means to meet any demand upon the treasury. Since 1846, a

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period of five years, we have realized a greater annual revenue from customs than ever before. In the five years which have elapsed, we have passed through a pro-tracted war, have contracted an immense debt, and sustain the public credit, in the face of everything. All this